

Great Event in the History of Gleiches

Mrs. S. Reimer after an absence of a couple of years returned home on Monday.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey Boars. Ready to use apply R. B. Hayes. 43

FOR SALE—Ladies fur-lined coats in good condition. Apply at this office. 36

STRAY—Two year old light red steer, white face, branded left hip with 110 reward for information leading to their recovery. Apply to T. W. Marriott, Gleichen. 40

FOR SALE—South-east quarter sec. 31-50 west of 4 Mer. For price and terms apply Email Korn, 2015 E. Cortez St. Chicago, Ill. 40

FOR SALE—Four roomed house.

hills to his squaw. Then two boys and a girl were given several bills each and finally a pape on its mother's back clasped a one and smiling the happy family made off for the nearest store. Tuesday a big bunch of them left for Calgary and the police are wondering how many Calgary merchants will be caught selling the Indians extracts.

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Last Saturday a Liberal-Conservative convention of the Gleichen constituency was held in Strathmore for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the next provincial election. The result of the meeting has not yet been announced further than that Mr. Davis was nominated. It is stated he is a successful farmer near Irricana, and although no

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The Bow river is now fairly well frozen over and will be quite safe to cross in a few days provided the weather does not become mild again, which the grain haulers hope will not occur. At the coal mines the Indians are crossing with loads for Cluny, but at the Cluny ferry only autos and light rigs are crossing, most farmers preferring the longer but safe route by the bridge. At Carseland the ice has been so crossing since last week.

D. B. McNeill of Vancouver says last Thursday visiting his many

to seem him looking so well. He came over the mountains particularly to see his mother at Calgary, whose health has not been good for some time past.

Mr. Kidney, of the firm of Mathew & Kidney, was down from Bankhead for a few days the past week. It is stated he is disposing of his Bankhead business and will reside permanently in Gleichen after the new year.

NATIONAL

R. B. BENNETT,
Director General.

Post.

...the houses were and still are, containing thousands of people. The village was followed in 1237 and 1250 by the 14140 Zuyder Zee had a storm which practically its present position. When the sea is drained out the places of Holland will be visible in the Island of Marken. The people here all wear the old costume.

Most of the houses are constructed in the timbers of old boats. They are built on piers, the houses being 10 to 15 feet above the ground. The work of draining the Zee will take 15 years, at a conservative cost of about \$45,000,000.

TALK ON RHEUMATISM

Explaining How to Actually Cure It
Common and Painful

rest—but actually cured. The rheumatic sufferer can be in rubbing something on the aching joint is a little relief on or liniment ever did or make a cure. The rheumatic is rooted in the blood. The rheumatism can only be cured if the poisonous acid is driven out of the blood. Any doctor will tell you is true. If you want something to go right to the root of the trouble in the blood take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They make the blood which drives out the poisonous acid cures rheumatism. Any doctor cured. The truth of these statements has been proved in thousands of cases throughout Canada, and the following cure is a striking instance.

Henry Smith, St. Jerome, N. B.

so bad that I could not
suffering which I endure
may be imagined by those
can similarly afflicted. Dr.
treatment did not help me and
trying other remedies, I
better results. Finally I
to try Dr. Williams' Pink
although I had given up
in "judicious financial deci-
the pills a trial. I am
thankful now that I did so, for
eight boxes of the pills
completely disappear
free from pain and could
as well as ever I did in my
since taken the pills
as a precautionary measure
cannot speak too highly in
or."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured
troubles due to weak, un-
broken down nerves.

Canadian's Smart Rejoinder
Travelling recently in the United States, a Canadian banker was invited to occupy a seat in a restaurant in which a German was loudly boasting of what Germany had achieved during the war. The Canadian was furious, but kept his temper, and asked the German to be a soldier.

many doesn't seem to have much if it is impossible for man to cross the seas and fight Fatherland."

Liniment's Cures Cows

The Need of the Hour

The great cry now is the leadership in the churches. There is called away thousands of young men who had been doing much of their time and energy in church and Sunday school. Their places must be filled. The promising life lost at the front. The value of our boys. Canada's manhood will be a terrible decline unless there

Warts will render the hands unsightly. Clear the blemishes away by using Holman's Corn Cure, which acts thoroughly and painlessly.

Mr. Lloyd George's Verdict
The story about Mr. Lloyd George taking up chestnuts when he was a boy is true.

Verdun as going to eat there, and his real intention was, it seemed, to find out what they were doing to them when he got him. He was his descendants might walk through the Verdun chestnut trees, and never see the Immortal French again. One can imagine this story passing down through the ages among the French peasants, and it may be that generations to come Mr. George's Verdun avenue may be a place of pilgrimage for French tourists to this country. — *Notre*

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1916

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

For Christmas 1916 the CALL wishes each and every one of our readers a happy and joyous time. In our immediate community none will want, for all are prosperous; a kind Providence having blessed our land with a plentiful supply of rain and sunshine. And, we should not fail at this time to make merry and show our appreciation, more so, when we consider that many readers of the CALL in other parts of Canada and the world have not been so fortunate. From the most humble Blackfoot Indian papoose to his worship—our mayor—have enough and to spare in the Gleichen district. On with the dance, and all eat turkey—though it be thirty cents.

Twenty-Four National Service Questions

The National Service Board of Canada has been charged with the duty and responsibility of making investigations and formulating plans that will in some measure provide for those adjustments in our national life, necessary for the maintenance of the agricultural and other basic industries of the Dominion, at that high point of production and efficiency so absolutely essentially to the successful prosecution of the war, while continuing unimpaired the indispensable public services of the country. To accomplish these results, and insure the maximum production of war material and equipment, the services of all available men and women of Canada must be utilized in such a manner as will, while achieving these purposes, permit of the release from their present employment of men who, physically fit and of suitable age, may desire to serve overseas with our military or naval forces.

To lay the foundation for this work an inventory of the man-power of Canada must be made quickly and at a minimum cost, writes R. B. Bennett, director general of the National Service, in a personal letter to the CALL.

Continuing he says we have concluded to utilize the facilities provided by the Post Office Department for our purposes. I enclose a copy of the public notice, from which you will observe that we propose to place in the hands of each postmaster a sufficient number of National Service cards to enable one to be filled out and returned in the envelope, which we also supply, within ten days of their receipt. A vigorous and united effort, extending over the first week of the New Year be observed as "National Service Week" for the taking of this inventory.

Appended is a copy of the twenty-four questions that all males in Canada between the ages of 16 and 65 inclusive must answer:

1. What is your name?
2. How old are you?
3. Where do you live? Province.
4. Name of city, town or post office, street and number.
5. In what country were you born?
6. In what country was your father born?
7. In what country was your mother born?
8. Were you born a British subject?
9. If not, are you naturalized?
10. How much time have you lost in the last twelve months from sickness?
11. Have you full use of your arms?
12. Of your legs?
13. Of your sight?
14. Of your hearing?
15. Which are you—married, single or a widower?
16. How many persons besides yourself do you support?
17. What are you working at for a living?
18. Whom do you work for?
19. Have you a trade or profession?
20. If so, what?
21. Are you working now?
22. If not, why?
23. Would you be willing to change your present work at the same pay during the war?
24. Are you willing, if your railway fare is paid, to leave where you now live, and go to some other place in Canada to do such work?

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Chassis	-	\$450.00
Runabout	-	475.00
Touring Car	-	495.00
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against buying any grain, hay or
other produce, cattle, horses, wag-
gons, harness, saddles, mowers or
rakes from any Indian of the Black-
foot reserve without an officially
printed permit issued by the Indian
Agent

Also not to take in pledge or
make any loan upon any article to
any Indian under penalty of having
any such articles seized and being
prosecuted for illegal pawning
J. H. GOODERHAM
18th Indian Agent

Gleichen Train Arrivals

The new C.P.R. time table took
effect on Sunday, Oct. 29th, and
the arrivals at Gleichen are as
follows:

Train No. 1—west bound—2.31
" 3—west bound—14.56
" 2—east bound—4.07
" 4—east bound—17.24

Gleichen Roll of Honor

Appended is the honor roll of the
men who have enlist from Gleichen
to fight for their King and Country.
We trust that friends will send in
the names of any we have omitted.

10th Battalion
C Marshall, killed in action
A Thomson, wounded

12th Mounted Rifles
L. Cpl. E. Wagstaffe
Geo. Moss
N. H. Syng
Reg. Jowett
H. G. Robinson
Cpl. W. Bielby
P. Rogers
F. Duckworth
J. Weddell, killed in action
W. Joffries
A. Ross
Lance, Corp. W. H. Nixon
H. Shoultice
L. J. Engstrom
A. Michie
C. A. Blencowe
C. Wynters

13th Mounted Rifles
Francis Daw
Sergeant Hicks
H. Landels
W. L. Clark
H. G. Robinson
B. Wheeler

31st Battalion
Sergeant A. S. Woods
T. W. Woodland
Frank Vigar, wounded
P. Kingsmith
E. Weddell, sergt.
Sergeant A. Weddell
John Altken
G. Wakefield

50th Battalion
R. Beaton
H. Roberts
R. Dodgson
J. Edwards
Sergeant Devine
W. Kay
J. Glittens
W. Whitfield
H. Glenn
J. Carswell

56th Battalion
A. Roberts
M. Lee
C. Conford
G. Clements
N. McDuff
M. Lawless
W. Varnell
E. Keyte
J. P. Collyer

82nd Battalion
Sergeant-Major John Roberts
L. Cpl. W. Coates
G. Bowers
G. Harvey
M. Naylor
E. D. McBean
J. O'Neill
J. Woodward
G. Maitland
Austin Brown
Rod Gooderham
John Olsen
Arthur Robert Jones
Frank Telford
J. O'Keefe
C. Befus
J. Cassels
E. A. Wyndam
N. Harris
J. Christenson
J. W. Eglese
J. Williamson
W. McLean
R. Blacome
John Carruthers
J. Mooney
A. Shred
Robt. Rowe

89th Battalion
Joe Pero
C. Erazor
J. Osler

You know as well as we, but you
put off taking out a policy. Why?
You'll be provoked at yourself the
day after the fire that sweeps a-
way your savings if they are not in-
sured. What earthly excuse have
you for not seeing us to-day? We
await your answer.

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33rd Battalion
Sergeant Harry Bowness
Frank Crockett
A. Weaver
A. Melville
A. Wheeler

137th Battalion
K. McPhee
P. Ostrander
J. Watts
T. Lovelaw
J. Dodds
R. Jefferies
O. Quartman
S. Carrick
E. Mott
W. Doyle
G. Elder
C. Hansen
J. C. Dillon
J. Moss
W. J. B. Ball
G. McLeod
H. Barnes
G. Leadbeater
L. Little

113th Battalion (Kilties)
Bert James
C. O. Ryan
W. James
W. H. McKie
G. McCaig
W. Bell
W. Peterson
W. Muir
Jas. Henry Ronnie
E. P. Testivan

211 Battalion (American Legion)
Sergeant H. J. Harrison
Sergeant Bruce B. Awrey
Sergeant Frank Scott
Sergeant V. Scott
Sergeant Edmund Scott
Wm. Service Jr.
Woyceik Lozanski
Chas. O. Walker
Wm. Weekes
Sam McLennan
Harry Irving
James Brown
Wm. Lowery
David Roberts
J. M. Beaver
Homewood
Ralph Prestwick
W. A. Battle
Phillip Stumpf
John Tokamp
Leonard Shaver
Martin McCarthy
Alex. Watson
Allen Quennell
J. L. Atkinson
Wm. Stacker
Thos. W. Davidson
Carl Stumpf
Oscar Samson
Oscar Maitlott
Emele Weltner
August Olson
Wm. H. Busby
Frank Wernett
Fred Day
Lawrence Brown

H. Fegan, 176th Batt. Med. Bat.
J. Bates, Can. Royal Eng.
B. Riches, Ottawa eng. corps
T. W. Bates, medical corps
G. Wade, Medical Corps
T. Robinson
E. Smart, C.A.S.O.
J. Harper, C.A.S.O.
J. Riddell, reservist
W. Riddell, reservist
Sergeant-Major Coates
A. Parker, Medical Corps
T. Gordon
Sergeant Orr
A. K. Tennant
R. Ross
F. G. C. Mortimer, Lieut. A. O. D.
J. T. Johnston
W. G. Potts
J. Connelly
D. Douglas
G. Daly
W. Reynolds
E. Rastalng
F. Francis
G. B. Jones
K. Napier
B. Jackson
J. Anderson
Robert Riches
Bert Ritchie
H. Holmes
J. W. P. Clark
Capt. J. T. Hughes, Staff
John Martin, French army
J. M. Covarr, French army
Sergeant Paul DeConinck, Belgium
David Elder, 76th Highlanders
Sergeant G. R. Fox, Princess Patricia's
wounded
Capt. E. F. Ward, K. R. R. wounded
MARK NODDLE, killed in action



Coming Events

Charges are 25c per line under
Coming Events heading unless
otherwise advertised with the CALL.
Monday—Ad. changes required
by noon at CALL office.

Jan. 8—The Rosery.
Feb. 2—Hamburg-Hollingshead
Recital.

Every Thursday—K. of P.
Every Monday—Oddfellows.
Women's Institute—First Wed-
nesday in each month.

Fourth Friday in each month—
Regular meeting of Alberta Star
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With Atlantic steamship
Tickets, five months final return
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Full particulars and tickets from
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are concealing and not notifying
the presence of infectious diseases in
their households. The Public
Health Act of the Province of Al-
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of any infectious disease within 12
hours of it being recognized as such.
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ATTENTION IN KGYPT: A DAZZLING CAREER

Spy Became Sirdar and in Fourteen
Years Averaged Gordon—His Chance
Came Through Indiscipline

In the early days in Egypt Kitchener
was daring almost to rashness, living
among the sons of the desert for
months at a time, in order to acquire
a knowledge of the Mahdi's move-
ments and conspiracies. And so clever
was he in disguising himself that even
his own comrades did not know him.
Indeed, one day a soldier sang a brick-
bat at Kitchener, whom he mistook
for "a bloomin' nigger," inflicting
rather a nasty scalp wound. His
cleverness in disguising himself,
coupled with a knowledge of Arabic,
which he had picked up in his wander-
ings in Syria, made him invaluable
to the authorities. He was chief of
the Secret Service, living for two years
with the Arabs as one of themselves,
and the following incident, the truth
of which is vouched for by one of Lord
Kitchener's relatives, strikingly illus-
trates his personal courage and clever-
ness. Two Arab spies feigned deaf-
ness, and Kitchener could get nothing
from them. In half an hour another
spy was caught and bundled into the
tent with the other two. They were
left for an hour, talking briskly all
the time, and then the door was
thrown open and the third spy de-
manded to be taken to headquarters.
It was Kitchener himself, who had,
of course, found out all he wanted to
know.

Wept Over Gordon
Long years after Gordon perished
at Khartoum, Sirdar Kitchener re-took
the city in triumph after Omdurman
and gave the martyr Christian burial.
The scene is sketched by Stevens as
follows: "The troops formed up before
the palace on three sides of a rec-
tangle. The Sirdar, the Generals of
division and brigade, and the staff
stood in the open space facing the
palace. The Sirdar raised his hand.
A pull on the halliards; up ran, out
saw the Union Jack. "Three cheers
for the Queen!" cried the Sirdar; hel-
mets leaped in the air, and the melan-
choly ruins woke to the first whole-
some shout of all these years. Then
came forward the pipers and wailed a
dirge, and the Sudanese band played
'Abide With Me.' Perhaps lips did
twitch just a little to see the ebony
heathens fervently blowing out Gor-
don's favorite hymn; but the most
irresistible incongruity would hardly
have made us laugh. And there were
those who said the cold Sirdar himself
could hardly speak or see, as General
Hunter and the rest stepped out and
shook his hand. What wonder? He
had trodden this road to Khartoum
for fourteen years, and he stood at
the goal at last."

It was characteristic of so uncon-
ventional a nature that his first step
to fortune and greatness was a piece
of indiscipline. He was on leave in
Alexandria on the eve of the famous
bombardment, and, knowing that a
telegram recalling him to Cyprus was
imminent, he arranged with a friendly
press-man to delay its reaching his
hands until the weekly boat to Cyprus
had gone.

Why Egypt Worshipped
Spoken of reverently as "El Lord"
or "Kooch-Nohr," he came to be re-
garded in Egypt and Sudan by the
masses of the people almost as a semi-
divinity, such as were Seti and Rame-
ses by the Egyptians of old. For the
triumph of Kitchener in Egypt was the
triumph of youth. Here he associated
with his great task young men of
tried mettle in whom he could place
confidence. He was, in Stevens'
words, "a blend of French audacity
of imagination, American ingenuity
and British doggedness in execution.
Everybody told him that he would
never get the gunboats over the
Fourth Cataract; a General who had
been there in the Wolsey days de-
livered a lecture demonstrating un-
mercifully the mad impossibility of
the scheme. A day or two after the
Sirdar sent the boats over."

EIGHT SONS IN THE ARMY

Old Couple Left in Poor Circum-
stances

A letter from the King congratulat-
ing them in having eight sons in the
army is the proud possession of Mr.
and Mrs. G. Coward, of 13 Chapel
avenue, Addlestone, Surrey. Mr.
Coward was a plasterer, but for
twelve years an injured foot has kept
him from work. Mrs. Coward had
five of her sons at home, all giving
her money, but now they are gone
and the home must be kept going as
well as may be on an army allowance
of only \$1.80 a week. Her family
comprises ten sons. All but the two
eldest are serving, and of these two
the elder has given his only son and
the younger has tried three times to
enlist, only to be rejected because
of a defective foot.

Actors Star in War

The late Lieutenant Wilbur Dartnell
was the first actor to win the V.C.
He had served during the South Afri-
can and Matabele campaigns, and he
went to East Africa with the 25th
Battalion Legion of Frontiersmen
Fuziliers in February, 1915. The ac-
tion that gained him the V.C. cost
him his life, but he will never be for-
gotten by his friends. Other distinc-
tions have been won for the combined
professions by Robert Loraine, the
actor-aviator, who has been awarded
the D.C.M., and Chief Petty Officer
Arthur Trussell, formerly assistant
manager of the Hippodrome, Man-
chester, and manager of the Tivoli,
Manchester, who received the D.S.M.
for conspicuous gallantry in the Dar-
danelles.

Here's Mother

Mrs. Margaret Meredith, whose
choral ode was performed at Kings-
way Hall in aid of wounded soldiers,
is a daughter-in-law of the great novel-
ist, George Meredith, and daughter of
John Maclean, the engineer associated
with De Lesseps in the construction of
the Suez Canal. Her son has won the
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call on us. We are always glad to sell you
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The Christmas Season

Message from the Busy Store is
whole-hearted and big as we can
make it:

"A Merry Christmas"

To all those who are and those
who shall this year join the
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at the most popular store in
Alberta.

Say it Again:

"A MERRY CHRISTMAS"

and help make it merry for all
you can.

J. A. Ramsay, Gleichen

The Call wishes all its readers and friends a Merry Christmas

GENTLEMEN Xmas gifts for the Ladies

Diamond Rings from \$20 up
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Solid gold brooches from \$3 to \$25
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Come early and buy while our
stock is complete.

GAUDAUR'S NEW JEWELRY STORE, GLEICHEN

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Dec. 22—Carseland dance.

Dec. 25—The Path of Happiness.

How about opening the risk for
this season?

Another dance is to be given at
Carseland tomorrow night—Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hogg leave
today to spend Xmas at his house
near Red Deer.

The Calgary Winter Fair last
week was well attended by the people
of Gleichen and district.

Lieut.-Colonel E. F. Ward's liber-
ary is being offered for sale and the
one who gets it will be fortunate.

This Christmas there may be
some sad hearts in the Gleichen
district, but not for the necessities
of life.

After tomorrow, December 22nd,
the Red Cross Rooms will be closed
until the first Wednesday in the
New Year.

A. R. Yates spent several days
last week in a Calgary hospital, re-
turning home Monday much im-
proved in health.

"The Girl You Cannot Buy" will
appear in the Opera House at an
early date. Mr. Sherman is sending
this opera here, which should in-
crease its quality.

A. Johnston's six-horse team be-
cause frightened Tuesday evening
and ran away. The only damage
sustained was the breaking of a few
tugs of the harness.

John Clark is repairing his house
on Seventh avenue and will move
his family in from the ranch after
the holidays in order that his child-
ren may attend school here.

While assisting to hold one of his
horses while it was being shod on
Tuesday afternoon, W. F. Dupont
of Queensdown received a nasty kick
which fractured one of his ribs.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeod wish
to express their appreciation and
gratitude for the sympathy and
many kindnesses shown by their
friends in their late and bereave-
ment.

A full attendance of Knights is
requested at Castle Hall tonight by
Chancellor Commander McKay at
8 o'clock sharp. Three degrees are
to be conferred as well as other im-
portant business transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Erford and boy
left on Tuesday morning to visit
friends in the east. Mr. Erford
dearly loves a joke, so we must not
mike one at his expense, more so
as he is now at a safe distance. On
Sunday he brought his family in
from the farm and put up at the
Palace Hotel to catch the train at
the "unearthly hour" at 4 o'clock
Monday morning. They reached
the depot at the "unearthly hour"
and the train arrived—so did a
friend. Talk was natural, but the
train pulled away while it was still
in progress. Twenty-four hours
later the "unearthly hour" saw all
a-board—the Erford family includ-
ed.

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